

RELINQUISHMENT
(Birth Mother and/or Presumed Father)
(Parent Identifying Adopting Parent(s))

I, the _____ of _____, a minor
We,

_____ child, born _____, _____, _____
SEX DATE CITY STATE

do hereby relinquish and surrender said child for adoption to

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AGENCY NAME

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CALIFORNIA STATE DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SERVICES

ADDRESS

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CITY STATE

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TELEPHONE NUMBER

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an organization licensed by the Department of Social Services of the State of California or authorized by Welfare and Institutions Code Section 16130 to find homes for children and to place children in homes for adoption. It is my/our intention that the agency place the child for adoption with _____. If the agency does not place the child in this home or if the child is removed from the home before the adoption is granted, the agency will notify me/us. If I/we receive such notice, I/we will have thirty days from the date of the notice to either rescind the relinquishment and reclaim the child, rescind the relinquishment and select another home for the child or place the child in a home that the agency selects. I/We fully understand that in all other circumstances when this relinquishment is filed with the headquarters office of the Adoptions Branch of the California Department of Social Services by said agency, all my/our rights to the custody, services and earnings of said minor child and any responsibility for the care and support of said minor child will be terminated.

The foregoing instrument was signed on _____ by the said
DATE

_____ in the presence of us,
who have signed the same as witnesses thereto.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA

ss.

County of _____

On this _____ day of _____, 19 _____, before me, _____
an authorized official of the _____

an organization licensed by the Department of Social Services of the State of California or authorized by Welfare and Institution Code Section 16130 to find homes for children and place them in homes for adoption, personally appeared _____ known to me to be the person(s) whose name(s) is/are subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he/she /they executed the same.

AUTHORIZED AGENCY OFFICIAL

TITLE